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**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Replace the paragraph on page 1, beginning on line 3, with the following amended paragraph:

This application is a continuation-in-part of application Serial Number 08/711,742, filed September 10, 1996, entitled TELEVISION PROGRAM DELIVERY SYSTEM, now U.S. Patent No. 6,052,554, which is a continuation of application Serial Number 08/160,191, filed December 2, 1993, entitled TELEVISION PROGRAM DELIVERY SYSTEM, now U.S. Patent No. 5,559,549.

Replace the paragraph on page 1, beginning on line 8, with the following amended paragraph:

This application is also a continuation-in-part of application Serial Number 08/735,552, filed October 23, 1996, entitled NETWORK CONTROLLER FOR CABLE TELEVISION DELIVERY SYSTEMS, now U.S. Patent No. 6,160,989, which is a continuation of application Serial Number 08/160,280, filed December 2, 1993, entitled NETWORK CONTROLLER FOR CABLE TELEVISION DELIVERY SYSTEMS, now U.S. Patent No. 5,600,364, which is a continuation-in-part of application Serial Number 07/99 1,074 filed December 9, 1992 entitled TELEVISION PROGRAM PACKAGING AND DELIVERY SYSTEM WITH MENU DRIVEN SUBSCRIBER ACCESS.

Replace the paragraph on page 1, beginning on line 16, with the following amended paragraph:

This application is also a continuation-in-part of application Serial Number 08/352,205 filed December 2, 1994, entitled NETWORK MANAGER FOR CABLE TELEVISION SYSTEM HEADENDS, now U.S. Patent No. 6,201,536, which is a continuation-in-part of application Serial Number 07/991,074, filed December 9, 1992, entitled TELEVISION PROGRAM PACKAGING AND DELIVERY SYSTEM WITH

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MENU DRIVEN SUBSCRIBER ACCESS and application Serial Number 08/160,280,  
filed December 2, 1993, entitled NETWORK CONTROLLER FOR CABLE TELEVISION  
DELIVERY SYSTEMS, now U.S. Patent No. 5,600,364.